PBBS - Packet Bulletin Board System

Hi. Let me introduce myself. I am Randy Ray (WA5SZL).

You are receiving this because you are a member of a Packet Radio Club or you have shown interest in Packet Radio.

Several of us Hams in Raleigh, NC have gotten together and decided to help provide other Hams interested in Packet Radio some of our programs we use. We formed a group we call **WDCG - Wake Digital Communications Group**and our purpose is to furthur the packet radio technology. We are a non-profit club like most anyone else.

One of the program packages we have produced is **PBBS - Packet Bulletin Board System for the IBMPC.**

On this diskette is the PBBS code, menu & help files and complete documentation on the contents. This system is a complete bulletin board system tailored to the specific needs and requirements of Packet Radio. It uses an IBMPC (possibly an equivalent), at least 2 320k drives, 256k of memory and a **TAPR TNC.**The **Heath HD-4040**is being used and we suspect the **TAPR TNC2** will work as well. It is a complete message system and file repository and has features to Beacon outstanding messages to users. We are working on the "store-and-forward" concept and hope to have this feature soon. One of the best features of this PBBS is that...

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That's how software for Amateur Radio should be. We have been running this package since last April and have added many features. To print the user's manual, simply print PBBS.PRT to an IBM (Epson) Graphics printer. This should be enough to get you started. We are adding features almost daily and plan many upgrades, ALL FREE.

If you can use it we would appreciate your feedback. If you can't, please pass it on to someone who can.

From your fellow packeteers at WDCG, Enjoy.

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